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IN RE APPLICATION OF

RUDOLF PFAENDNER ET AL

APPLICATION NO: 09/703,782

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action, Paper No. 5, dated September 12, 2001, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set 1 month period for reply. This reply is timely filed and no petition for an extension of time is required. If any fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.

In the Claims

Cancel claims 28 and 30.